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\*Texts cost £5 plus one standard rate message. If you do not wish to opt-in to hear more about our work and fundraising via text, but would still like to donate £5, text METROCATHERALNOINFO instead.

## Mass & Service Times

All services take place in the cathedral unless marked otherwise

WEEK COMMENCING 29 January 2023

### Sunday 29 January

#### Fourth Sunday of Ordinary Time

**9.00am** Mass Cathedral  
**10.00am** Mass Crypt  
**11.00am** Mass \* Cathedral  
**3.00pm** Choral Evening Prayer  
 \* This Mass will be streamed live on Youtube  
**7.00pm** Mass Crypt

### Monday 30 January

**7.45am** Morning Prayer  
**8.00am** Mass BSC  
**12.15pm** Mass Crypt  
**5.00pm** Mass BSC

### Tuesday 31 January

#### St John Bosco

**7.45am** Morning Prayer  
**8.00am** Mass BSC  
**12.15pm** Mass Crypt  
**5.00pm** Mass BSC

### Wednesday 1 February

**7.45am** Morning Prayer  
**8.00am** Mass BSC  
**12.15pm** Mass Crypt  
**5.00pm** Sung Mass BSC

### Thursday 2 February

**7.45am** Morning Prayer  
**8.00am** Mass BSC  
**12.15pm** Mass Crypt  
**5.00pm** Sung Mass BSC

### Friday 3 February

**7.45am** Morning Prayer  
**8.00am** Mass BSC  
**12.15pm** Mass Crypt  
**5.00pm** Sung Mass BSC  
**5.45pm** Choral Evening Prayer

### Saturday 4 February

**8.45am** Morning Prayer  
**9.00am** Mass BSC  
**5.00pm** Vigil Mass BSC

### EXPOSITION of the BLESSED SACRAMENT

Will take place from 4.00pm on Fridays.

### RECONCILIATION (Confession)

**Monday - Friday:**  
 Following the 12.15pm Mass in the Crypt  
**Saturday:** 9.30am - 10.30am & 3.30pm - 4.30pm

Please note that there are no Confessions on Holy Days.

**Crypt**  
 Crypt Chapel

**SS -**  
 55 Seel St,  
 Missionaries of  
 Charity

**RLUH -**  
 Royal Liverpool  
 University Hospital

### CLERGY:

**PRIESTS:**  
 Canon Anthony  
 O'Brien Dean  
 Fr Derek Lloyd  
 Fr Chris McCoy  
 Fr Peter Murphy

**DEACONS:**  
 Rev Noel Abbott  
 Rev Paul Mannings



# Cathedral Record

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## Join our Team

### MAINTENANCE ASSISTANT

An opportunity is available for an experienced maintenance worker to assist with the day-to-day maintenance, repairs and general upkeep of the interior and exterior of the Metropolitan Cathedral. This will include maintenance of the surrounding grounds and aiding others to ensure the smooth running of all events in the Cathedral and Crypt.

This is a permanent post, working full time, Monday to Friday, 8.00am-4.00pm.

Candidates must have empathy with the ethos and mission of the Roman Catholic Church and a commitment to the work undertaken by all at the Metropolitan Cathedral.

Applicants must have; experience of working in a similar role or trade background, excellent verbal and written skills, experience of managing and implementing maintenance programmes, the ability to identify problems and correct defects, and the ability to work at heights. Experience of working on buildings which are places of worship, or listed buildings would be advantageous.

Closing date: Monday 13 February 2023.

### To apply, visit

[www.liverpoolcatholic.org.uk/jobs](http://www.liverpoolcatholic.org.uk/jobs)  
**obs** or telephone **0151 522 1102** for an application pack.

### CAMRA BEER FESTIVAL CATHEDRAL PREVIEW NIGHT 15 FEBRUARY

Each year the Camra real ale association hold their biggest event in the north of the country within the Crypt over a few days in February. The various sessions always sell out months in advance of the event. We have been offered the opportunity for our own Cathedral Preview night on Wednesday 15 February on the evening before the main event opens. It gives us an opportunity to raise some funds for the Cathedral and also gives people the opportunity to enjoy a drink without having to fight the crowds and the noise of the main events. Tickets are £10 which will be needed to be purchased in advance from Cathedral House. Why not come along for a drink within the surroundings of the Crypt Hall and support the Cathedral fund raising efforts.

### ARE YOU LIVING WITH DEMENTIA?

Or caring for someone who has received a diagnosis? Come and join us at Turtle Song and try something new: Free singing and song writing sessions on Monday's 10.30am-12.15pm, 30 January – 27 March 2023, in the Gibberd Room of the Metropolitan Cathedral. Companions and carers are welcome.

For more information and to sign up call 020 8964 5060 or email [charlotte@turtlekeyarts.org.uk](mailto:charlotte@turtlekeyarts.org.uk)

Tel: 0151 709 9222

Email: [enquiries@metcathedral.org.uk](mailto:enquiries@metcathedral.org.uk)

# Cathedral Notice Board

## MASS INTENTIONS

Kenny Kay (RIP), Catherine Winifred Shields, Eileen Tootle (RIP), Michael Jervis (RIP), Eve Wonderley (RIP), Gerard Webb (RIP), Holy Souls, People of Ukraine.

## NEWS FROM SAINT NICHOLAS' ACADEMY

Last Friday our Year 5 children had a fantastic day celebrating the Chinese Spring Festival at Liverpool University's Tung Institute. There they took part in a huge variety of wonderful activities which included singing and performing. The children had a fantastic time and as ever they were a credit to themselves their parents and the school. Well done to everyone who was involved on the day and preparing for it too.

## NOTE FROM NUGENT

We sometimes receive a gift that was given with love but it is something we will never use or just don't want, or we get two of the same thing. It may be a toiletry set that we don't use, two separate gifts of a pair of slippers or just a gift that we know we will never use. Although you all give wonderful and thoughtful presents you know the sort of thing – your great auntie gives you a floral oven glove and matching tea towels, or the neighbours give you something that they clearly didn't want from last years presents! A great way of continuing the spirit of the Christmas gifts is to pass them on to Nugent where they will be sold in the charity shop or used directly in their services. It's also a great way of honouring the

original gift giver and continues the joy of Christmas.

Also at this time we have received new gifts that we actually want and keep and so are sorting out space in our cupboards and shelves and now have donations of clothes, books, handbags, bric-a-brac etc. So once again please bring in your unwanted gifts and good quality spare items and we will donate them to Nugent. If you have any such items please pass in to Cathedral House or Security Office and we will ensure they get passed on. Thanks.

## CATHOLIC PICTORIAL

The January issue of the Catholic Pic is now available in print and online. The latest edition is available to download at [tinyurl.com/bdhud3d9](http://tinyurl.com/bdhud3d9)

## ANNUAL CIVIC MASS

Celebrated by Archbishop McMahon will take place on Sunday 19 February 2023 at 11.00am. All are warmly invited.

## PILGRIMAGE

Escorted Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine, Ireland, 26<sup>th</sup> June 2023. £699.00 per person sharing. Price includes flight, all transfers, 4 nights' in Knock House Hotel with full board. All entertainment and excursions included. Day trips to Westport, Ballintubber Abbey, Croagh Patrick, Fr. Peyton Centre & National Museum. Single supplement £150.00. Contact Patricia on 01268 762 278 or 07740 175557 or email [knockpilgrimages@gmail.com](mailto:knockpilgrimages@gmail.com).

## CATHEDRAL READERS

Cathedral Readers required - Come and Share the Liturgy of the Word!

Would you like to join our group of readers at the many masses here at the Cathedral? We would love to hear from you and require new readers to join our team in this important role for all Masses. No experience is required, all you need is a clear voice! For more information please contact Danielle Myerscough [dmmyscough@gmail.com](mailto:dmmyscough@gmail.com) or 07919894918

## VOCATIONS WEEKEND FOR WOMEN

Theme: Discerning God's Call in your life

Dates: 3-5 Feb 2023

Location: London

The weekend is organised by the Sisters, Faithful Companions of Jesus (FCJ).

Jesus invites each of us to 'Come and See' - this weekend will give the opportunity to explore the vocation to religious life and to reflect on God's call to you. If you are wondering if God is calling you to religious life and would like to find out more why not come along? You are welcome to stay for the weekend or just come along on Saturday for the day. There will be opportunity for prayer, reflection and input, chance to ask questions and to meet others who are also wondering where God is calling them.

For more information contact Sr Lynne fcj at [fcjvocationeurope@gmail.com](mailto:fcjvocationeurope@gmail.com) or visit our website [www.fcjsisters.org](http://www.fcjsisters.org)

## COULD YOU BE A DEACON?

Archbishop Malcolm will be hosting another Diaconate Information Evening on **Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> February, 7.30-9.00pm in the Parish Centre at St George's, Station Road, Maghull, L31 3DF, with refreshments available from 7.00pm.**

The evening is open to anyone who would like to find out more about the diaconate, especially men who are wondering if they may be called to this ministry. Wives and supporting priests and deacons are also very welcome. For more information, email Fr Chris Fallon, [c.fallon@rcaol.org.uk](mailto:c.fallon@rcaol.org.uk) or Deacon Paul Rooney, [p.rooney@rcaol.org.uk](mailto:p.rooney@rcaol.org.uk).

## CHORAL INVITATION

Have you ever wondered what it would be like to sing in a large choir at the Metropolitan Cathedral? Why not come along on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> March and join a massed choir under the baton of archdiocese Choral Director Joe Watson for a performance of Vivaldi Gloria?

If you would like to come along and join the 'come and sing' choir, or simply to attend what will be a wonderful evening as an audience member, please visit: [www.ticketsource.co.uk/metcathedral](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/metcathedral) Tickets are priced at £5 for both singers and audience members, and under-18s and students can attend for free! YouTube rehearsal links are provided to all participants so that they can practice and familiarise themselves with their parts ahead of the day. Reading music is not a prerequisite as music can be learnt with the YouTube links.

Last week's collection: **£1,382.54**



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Open Monday – Saturday: First Admission: 10am, Last Admission: 3.30pm  
 Crypt Admission Charges: £5 Adult, £12 Family (2 adults + 2 children)

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The Golden Book office is currently closed. We are still accepting requests which will be dealt with as soon as we can. Please email us at [enquiries@metcathedral.org.uk](mailto:enquiries@metcathedral.org.uk).